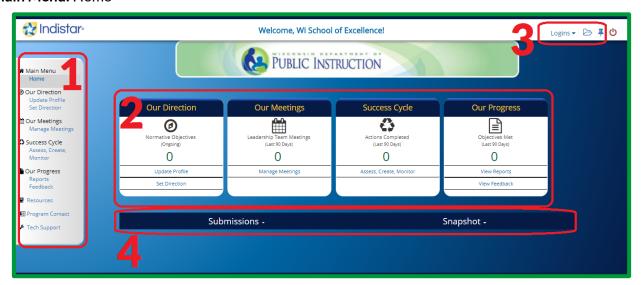
You may notice some changes when you log into Indistar for the first time. Most of these changes will help reduce the overall steps and create an easier and more convenient process to edit or adjust your indicators. Here's a quick document to help walk you through this process as you begin entering actions (formerly called "tasks") into your plan.



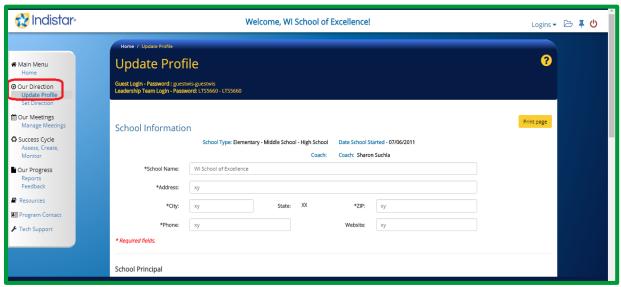
When you log in, a brief video will pop-up explaining some of the changes. This quick-look of the changes is a great way to familiarize yourself with the new platform. To close it, click the "X" at the top right of the video player. To disable the video pop-up, uncheck the box at the bottom.

Main Menu: Home

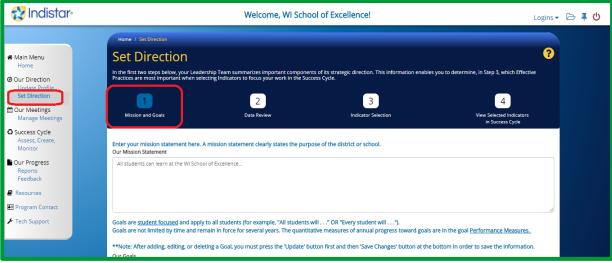


- 1. **Navigation Bar**: The Navigation Bar will stay up in most windows and allows quick access to the different pages.
- 2. Improvement Process blocks
- 3. **Title Bar**: Login Information, Document Upload, Bulletin Board, and Log Out
- 4. **Submission and Snapshot** dropdowns: provides a quick snapshot of your work and where to submit comprehensive reports for DPI review.

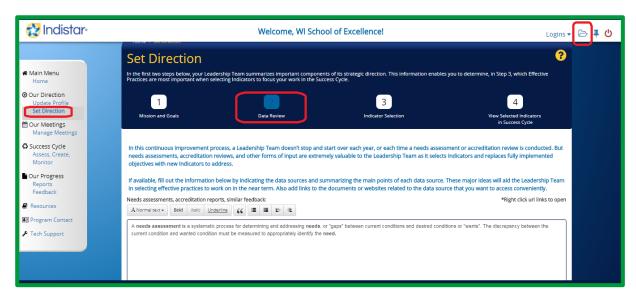
Our Direction:



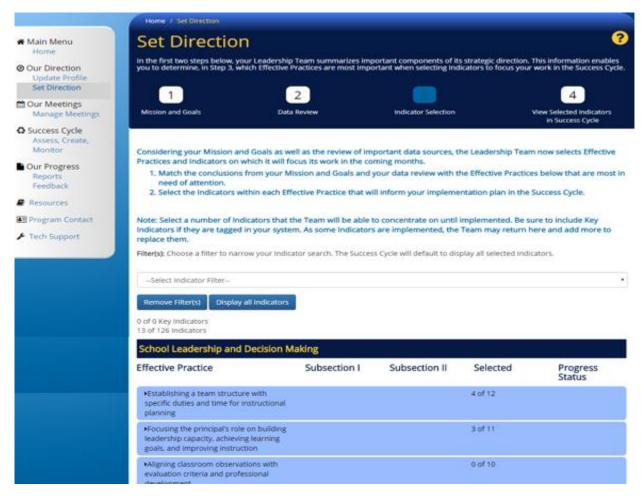
1. Update Profile: Add or change principal, Indistar Process Manager (IPM) and team members.



- 2. Set Direction:
 - 2a. Mission and Goals (recommended): A place to indicate your schools' goals and mission.



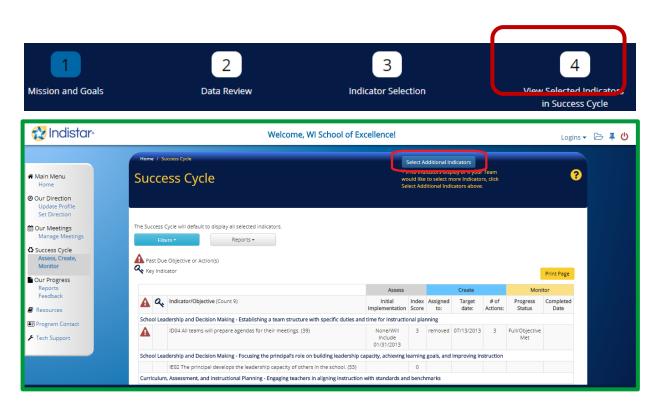
2b. Data Review (recommended): Another place to house data analysis as you plan your next year. To store data, click the Document Upload icon at the top right of title bar.



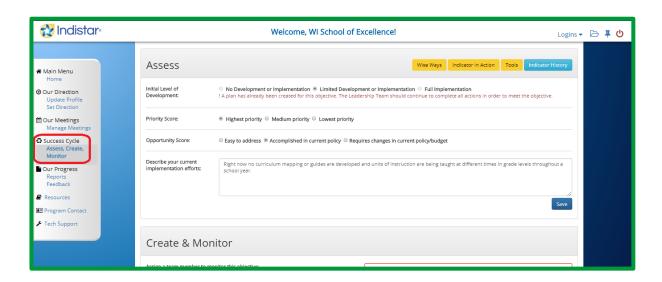
2c. Indicator Selection (required): Displays the list of Effective Practices. Click "Display all Indicators" Button to expand list to include all potential indicators.



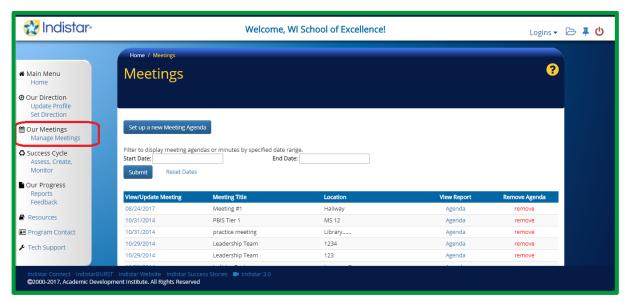
* Any previously selected Spotlight Indicators will already be checked. To select Indicators you want to work on, click the checkbox on the left side. Select one to 10 indicators. A pop-up may appear confirming your work was saved. You may also deselect any Indicators you don't plan to work on this year.



2d. Success Cycle (required): Assess indicator, add or complete an action or indicator, or add a comment. The Success Cycle is also linked from the Main Menu on the left side. Clicking "Select Additional Indicators" will take you back to the "Indistar Selection" page. Clicking an indicator will open its Assess Create Monitor page (see below).



Our Meetings:



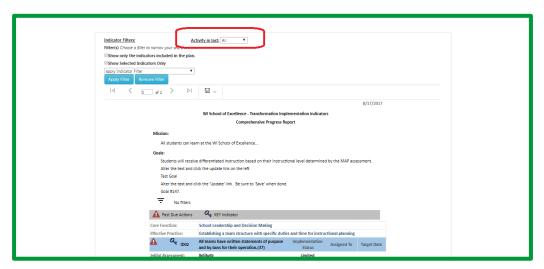
1. Manage Meetings (recommended): This is where you create agendas and minutes.

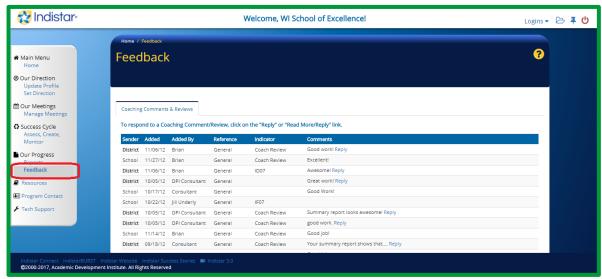
Our Progress:



1. Reports:

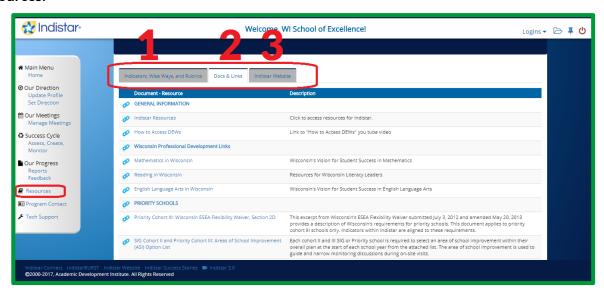
- a. Where are we now?: houses a graphic report of work done
- b. Celebrate our success: successfully implemented practices
- **c. Summary report:** quantified report of work done
- **d. Actions report:** *details of all actions (formerly tasks)*
- e. Comprehensive report: generates report by indicator type and time frame (e.g. month, 1 year, etc.)





2. Feedback: receive coaching comments and respond to your DPI consultant.

Resources:



- 1. Indicators, Wise Ways, and Rubrics: select district or school to get appropriate list of tools.
- 2. **Docs and Links:** includes Indistar and DPI information
- 3. Indistar Website: a link to Indistar website for more resources.